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(which states that claims 1, 22-25 and 28 have improper status identifiers), attached is the "IN THE CLAIMS" section of the Amendment, resubmitted with each of the indicated claims now having a proper status identifier (namely, "new"). Although these claims were once in the Application and subsequently cancelled and now reinstated, they are "new" with respect to the immediate prior version. If, however, the PTO thinks that a different status identifier is applicable, the PTO is hereby authorized to amend the status identifier of any of these claims.

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